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TO: Maine Worksite Wellness Initiative (MWWI) Year 2 (2010-11) Members

FR: R.H. Ross, Convener

DA: 8 June 2011

RE: Meeting 7 Agenda

Thursday, 9 June 2011, 3:00-4:30pm, Pharmacy Building, Room 217, 16 Stevens Avenue, Portland, Maine

Meeting 7 of the Year 2 Maine Worksite Wellness Initiative will be held Thursday, 3:00-4:30, June 9, 2011, University of New England, Portland campus, Pharmacy Building, Room 217, 16 Stevens Avenue, Portland ME 04103. Driving directions are attached. THAT'S TOMORROW. Meeting 7 is dedicated to Health Care Cost Drivers.

For audio only, starting 2:30pm, dial 1-408-600-3600, passcode 800 257 809. To join meeting online,

- 1. click https://ccph.webex.com/ccph/j.php?ED=155077487&UID=0&PW=NYjFkM2JIMGNI&RT=MiMxMQ%3D%3D.
- 2. if requested, enter your name and email address.
- 3. If a password is required, enter the meeting password: MWWI.
- 4. Click "Join".

For assistance before 2:30pm, contact Mary Louie at mlouie@une.edu or 207-221-4561.

Meeting 7 will follow the standard format as follows:

- 1. Roundtable (25 minutes): where members report projects-in-planning, in-progress, and in-conclusion, raise issues, think out-loud, trace lessons, seek partners, collect comments. <u>Please do</u> consider in advance how you may fit into this part of Meeting 2 and come prepared to share and to handout what you wish in up to 4-5 minutes.
- 2. Briefing (30-35 minutes): where an associate (or member) briefs the group on a current or emerging occupational health, public health, health services, or policy science topic of substantive (e.g. clinical, epidemiologic, organizational, environmental, ergonomic, policy) or methodologic (e.g. biometric, econometric, informatic, geographic) import.
 - The <u>Meeting 7 Briefing</u> will be given by MWWI member Thomas Algozzine, PharmD, BCPS, Medical Outcomes Specialist, Pfizer Inc., Manchester, NH. He will brief us on the "Pharmaceutical perspective on Cost Drivers."
- **3. Presentation** (30-35 minutes): where a member (or associate) presents an early/mid/end-stage project proposal (e.g. to be submitted to a funder, client, board, journal, or meeting) or project report (e.g. preliminary data, final outcomes, article) for constructive comment.

For the <u>Meeting 7 Presentation</u>, Tom has invited Paula Rogers, Government Relations Manager for Anthem BCBS in Maine and NH to present the "Insurer perspective on Cost Drivers."

We look forward to you participation.